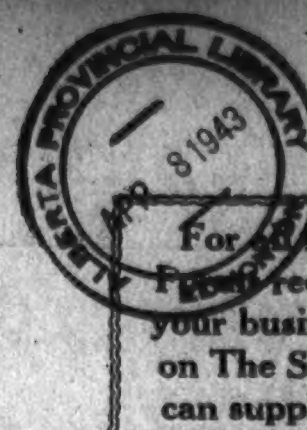


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## "Meatless Days" To Start Next Month

According to news from Ottawa last week, meat rationing for Canada, effective early in May on the basis of two pounds a person per week, was announced in the House of Commons by Finance Minister Isley.

"Meatless days" will be observed in restaurants, hotels and other public eating places, after plans now being prepared by the prices board are completed.

The ration represents a reduction of about one-half pound a week in the average per capita consumption of meat by Canadians in 1941 and 1942, the minister said.

The rationing will be applied without differentiation between various classes of employment. A nutrition committee devising the prices board foods administration had given the opinion that two pounds of meat a week, plus butter, eggs, and other available food products, was sufficient for nutrition in any type of work.

Mr. Isley said no "burdensome restrictions" were planned on farmers slaughtering livestock for their own use, but they would be asked to live within the spirit of the ration. To control the supply of meat entering trade channels, there would be restrictions on the farmers' right to slaughter for sale.

Steps should be taken to see that those who hold space in private cold storage lockers are not allowed to use this space to evade rationing or obtain any special advantage in obtaining meat supplies.

A very serious view would be taken of any practices involving evasion of rationing regulations.

Mr. Isley said poultry and fish would not be included in the ration plan, but all beef and pork products would be. He also said there was no intention of discontinuing butter rationing.

## Higher Postage Rates Are Now in Effect

Higher rates of postage went into effect on Thursday last (April 1st), and all persons are asked to note this.

Under the new rates, local delivery letters require a three-cent stamp instead of two; letters for outside points require four cents for the first ounce instead of three; the postcard rate will be three cents, and the air mail letters will require seven cents instead of six.

Postage rates on mail to the armed forces overseas are not changed.

## Railroads Cut All Week-end Reductions

OTTAWA, April 2.—Special week end railway rates will be stopped for a four-month trial period from April 15th to August 15th. Transport Minister Michaud announced before the house of commons railways and shipping committee.

Mr. Michaud said the suspension of the special rate would not affect special rates granted to members of the armed forces.

R. C. Vaughan, Canadian National Railways president, said the railway had urged for several months suspension of week-end rates in an effort to relieve traffic congestion but the prices board had opposed the change, contending it would increase living costs.

## Greater Deductions In Income Taxes Now

According to word from the Federal department at Ottawa, all persons become subject to increased deductions for income tax purposes on and from April 1st, 1943.

With the start of a new fiscal year the government's "pay-as-you-earn" income tax policy becomes effective and payroll deductions will be stepped up accordingly, because the credit for national defence tax paid in 1942 has been exhausted. There is no change, however, in the basic income tax rates.

Can't YOU do a little bit more to bring Victory closer? Think this over and then act right away!

## Social Security Plan Proposed for Canada

Ottawa.—An integrated plan to assure every Canadian of a basic minimum income regardless of age, occupation, place of abode or sex—at an estimated cost of \$1,000,000,000 a year—was laid before the special committee on social security. Prepared by Dr. Leonard C. Marsh, research advisor to the government's advisory committee on reconstruction, headed by Dr. Cyril James, principal of McGill university, the report is on the general lines of the Beveridge plan for the United Kingdom but it is drafted independently. Pensions Minister Mackenzie, at whose request the report was prepared, submitted it to the committee as a basis for discussion.

### UNRIVALLED



Kathleen Parlow, violinist, most famous of Canadian virtuosos, was born in Calgary, Alberta, of English parents. She received her early musical education in San Francisco, and later went to Russia to study with Auer. Spectacular European tours followed. She came back to Canada in 1941 to join the staff of Toronto Conservatory. The Parlow String Quartet will be heard in a series of concerts commencing Sunday, April 11, at 11:30 a.m. MDT, on the national network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

## Grand Lodge Official Visits Local Rebekahs

On Thursday April 1st, the members of Adeline Rebekah lodge, I.O. O.F. welcomed Bro. W. Huntingford, deputy Grand master of the Alberta jurisdiction of the Order, when he fulfilled an invitation from the lodge to visit in his official capacity.

The lodgeroom was nicely filled for the visit, and in his address given later in the evening, the "grand" stressed the need of "Co-operation" in both lodge work as well as in worldly intercourse, and exhorted his hearers to bend their full efforts to the end that Odd Fellowship could play its full part in bringing about Peace for which all are hoping and praying in these critical times.

Introduced with Bro. Huntingford at this meeting, was Sister M. Lewis, the newly-appointed District Deputy President for District No. 5, of the Degree of Rebekah, and that lady also spoke a few timely words to the lodge.

Dainty refreshments served by the social committee brought a happy and instructive evening to a close.

## Allied Seamen's Comaraderie

The BBC European Service tells the occupied countries of the good fellowship among Allied and British seamen.

Since the war, thousands of Allied seamen have been using the ports of Britain as their temporary homes. They are all assured of a warm welcome by the various welfare organizations in any port where they put in.

In one of the large ports, the seamen's welfare officer sends a notice to every incoming ship. This is printed in Polish, Norwegian, Swedish, Danish, Dutch, Czech, Yugoslav, Russian and French and gives the address where the nearest centre where hostel and recreational facilities are available.

This particular port has hostel accommodation for 1,600 men. In addition, there are private hostels and homes which take in merchant seamen.

## Third Session of Legislature Prorogued

Third session of the ninth legislature of the province of Alberta was prorogued at 10:36 o'clock Tuesday night by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor J. C. Bowen, after he assented to 44 bills which had been brought into the legislature during the session.

The session is next shortest in the history of the province, the shortest one being in February, 1940, which lasted one week, from February 8th to February 16th, when the legislature was dissolved, and an election called.

In a ceremony steeped in annals of British parliamentary procedure, the lieutenant-governor assented to the 44 bills by lifting his hat, after their titles had been read by Clerk of the Legislature R. A. Anderson.

Turning to the members of the legislature, Mr. Anderson said: "In His Majesty's name His Honor the Honorable Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills."

Mr. Speaker Peter Dawson then asked the lieutenant-governor for assent to the Appropriation Act, which authorizes government expenditures during the fiscal year 1943-44.

After assenting to the Appropriation Bill, His Honor delivered his closing speech to the third session.

## Liquor Board Cuts Off Half Former Quota

Further restrictions on beer and wine sales went into effect April 1st, J. A. King, chairman of the Alberta Liquor Control Board, has announced.

Beer purchases are now limited to two dozen a month, in the small size, or one dozen large, Mr. King said. The two dozen smalls may be purchased at one time, if so desired, but this will naturally exhaust the purchaser's quota for the particular month.

The wine restriction limits sales to one bottle a month for each customer in either the 26 or 40 ounce size.

Both the new cuts reduce by half the amount of the former quotas. There is no change in the existing liquor allowance.

## ELKS OF JASPER PARK GO TO INDIANS

Jasper—Jasper Park Lodge will not open this summer, but the golf course will be kept in condition for the future. Browning elk have been an obstacle to good grooming of the fairways and this past winter 127 of them were killed. The meat and hides were shipped to the Department of Indian Affairs for issue to Indians on the reservations.

## Sacrificed His Life On Country's Service

The following article from the Brantford Expositor has been contributed by E. K. Carruthers of that city, next of kin of the late Sgt. H. D. (Dave) Vesey, R.C.A.F., who lived in this district for a number of years, and who was reported by the Star last week as killed in action overseas:

Sgt. Vesey enlisted at Edmonton and received his training at St. Thomas and at Summerside, P.E.I. He was a flight engineer in the R.C.A.F. Details on how he met his death have not been revealed.

Sgt. Vesey was a veteran of the First Great War. He enlisted in England in the Royal Engineers at the age of 16 on August 5, 1914, one day after the outbreak of war, and served throughout the conflict. After demobilization he enlisted again and joined a Russian expedition from England. Later he came to Canada, and took up farming at Wainwright, Alberta. At the outbreak of the present war he enlisted in the R.C.A.F.

It is of interest to note that Sgt. Vesey's father also was in the Royal Engineers and saw action with Lord Kitchener at Khartoum. At present Sgt. Vesey has a nephew from England training with the R.C.A.F. in Canada.—Con.

Mrs. Hornberger spent the week end in the city with friends.

Mrs. Bob Lewis of Jasper, who is shortly going to Prince Rupert, is visiting her relatives in town for a short holiday.

## BOARD OF TRADE MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting is to be held in the Council Chamber of the TOWN HALL, TO-NIGHT (April 7th) at EIGHT O'CLOCK SHARP, and it is hoped that a big turn-out of all interested will be on hand, as very important business is to be dealt with.

By Order

## NOTICE CHURCH SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK

April 19—23, 1943

Following are the church services to be held each evening during Holy Week at 8 p.m.:

Mon.—St. Andrew's (Pres.). "The Purpose of the Cross." Rev. L. Brant, A.C.L.D.

Tues.—St. Thomas' (Ang.). "The Power of the Cross." Rev. A. D. Richard, B.A.

Wed.—United Church, "The Place of the Cross Today." Rev. H. L. Wilson, B.A.

Thurs.—Anglican Church: Holy Communion; Presbyterian Church: Prayer meeting; United Church: Prayer meeting.

Good Friday—Anglican Church: 11 a.m., Joint evening service. Special preacher, Rev. A. D. Miller, D.D., principal St. Stephen's college, Edmonton.

## WEDDING BELLS

### BACON—HUNTER

A quiet little wedding took place at the Wainwright United church parsonage on Wednesday last, when the pastor, Rev. A. D. Richard, conducted the marriage rites whereby Miss Allison McMichael Hunter of Fenton, Sask., became the bride of Mr. John James Wesley Bacon of Irma.

Included in those present at the ceremony were the father and mother and a brother of the bridegroom, and following a short honeymoon the happy couple will take up residence on the groom's farm in the Irma district.

## Only Routine Business Public Sch. Bd. Meet.

On Thursday, April 1st, last, the trustees of the Wainwright School District met in regular meeting. Accounts amounting to \$1,583.01 were examined and passed for payment.

The reports of Principals Meade and Finlay of the High and Public Schools respectively were accepted, as also was that of the Attendance Officer, M. B. McLeod.

A progress report from the committee appointed to arrange for the vaccination of pupils and other children against smallpox, and the inoculation against Diphtheria and Scarlet Fever was presented and accepted.

The property committee were asked to give consideration to various improvements and replacements in the Shop and Home Economics class rooms, and report on same at the next regular meeting.

## No Extra Rations For Spring Harvesters

No provision of extra sugar, tea or coffee is made by the ration administration, Wartime Prices and Trade Board for farmers finishing harvesting operations this spring, officials of the Board announce.

During the harvest season last fall threshing gangs travelling from farm to farm were employed for several days at a time, and the farmers were permitted to obtain an additional quantity of rationed commodities for harvesters' meals.

Due to the fact that for such harvesting still unfinished there are few transient workers employed this spring, this provision has not been renewed.

We learn that Mr. E. T. Dean, who has been working here as engineer on the airport project is being called to Calgary on Friday. Mr. R. L. Black, who originally had this work in hand will replace him.

## Greenshields Discusses Urgent Farm Problems

A meeting was held in the Greenshields school on request of the Wainwright Municipal Council for the purpose of discussing urgent farm problems.

At the request of the assembly, Mr. A. E. Kett acted as chairman of the meeting, with W. S. White as secretary.

Mr. Kett read the communication received from the secretary of the municipality dealing with the questionnaire as sent out, regarding summary of opinions expressed concerning farm and financial problems.

After discussion, the meeting went on record as endorsing the summary of the estimates contained in the communication.

A local committee of three were elected, comprising of A. E. Kett, A. Hutchinson and Glen Valleau, to co-operate with other interested organizations in the effort to solve farm problems.

A resolution was passed urging the Wheat Board to facilitate the movement of grain now in storage in the local elevators, to create necessary accommodation for the expected delivery of spring threshed grain to the extent of allotted quotas.

A resolution was also passed urging the necessity of action in respect to the health problem of the civilian population.

## Can. Grain Program Practically Unchanged

OTTAWA—Trade Minister MacKinnon and Agriculture Minister Gardiner last week spoke in support of the government grain marketing policy and production programs in House of Commons and said 1943 plans already outlined would remain substantially unchanged.

The ministers spoke following a day and a half of debate on western wheat and other grain questions, during which Progressive Conservative, C.C.F. and New Democracy members criticized government plans for 1943 farm production and marketing.

Mr. Gardiner announced that farmers were being asked to increase their 1943 flaxseed acreage by 1,000,000 acres over 1942.

He said this was the original objective set at a Dominion-provincial farm conference in December. Later there had been some doubt as to whether this extension would be required, but following consultation with other united nations it had been agreed that the increase was desirable, and the original objective would stand.

The debate on grain began when P. E. Wright (C.C.F., Melfort) introduced an amendment to the motion to go into supply asking that the 1943 wheat marketing policy be revised. It was subsequently ruled out of order.

## Legislature Assents To Post-War Study

Before the Alberta Legislature prorogued last week, assent was given to a bill setting up a post-war reconstruction committee, under chairman ship of Hon. N. E. Tanner, minister of lands and mines.

The committee will have the power to make a survey of the entire economy of Alberta, with particular reference to resources and industries, and it will also formulate measures for better co-ordination of all branches of industry for the development of the resources of Alberta.

Members of the committee, besides Mr. Tanner, are: Hon. E. C. Manning, provincial secretary and minister of trade and industry; A. J. Hooke, Social Credit, Rocky Mountain House; Mrs. C. R. Wood, Social Credit, Stony Plain; Alfred Speakman, Independent, Red Deer, and E. J. Martin, Independent, Peace River.

The committee will also investigate rehabilitation measures for men and women returning from the armed services. Annual reports of its work will be made to the legislature.

Miss D. Fontaine spent a couple of days in Edmonton last week.

Lorne Howard McSpurren, of Ribstone, is the latest addition to the ranks of the Canadian Active Army from this district.

## "Strangers Welcome" Party Last Week

Lots of fun and merriment marked the "Welcome to Strangers" party which was arranged in the Masonic Hall last week by the W.A. of the Wainwright United church. The pastor, Rev. A. Richard, in a fitting address, extended the "Welcome."

Under the guidance of Mr. L. Mitchell, carpet bowling saw several teams in play, and in addition other games each drew their quota of devotees.

Later in the evening a "Romance in Song" was enjoyed by the whole company, Mrs. W. Clark officiating at the piano, and with the addition of the violin in the hands of Mr. A. Adams, a community sing-song ended a very pleasant evening.

Lunch was served by the ladies in charge before dispersing.

## JEAN HINDS



Jean Hinds, women's commentator for the CBC's Prairie Region, is at present touring the Prairie Provinces and will visit Regina, Saskatoon, Edmonton and Calgary, between April 5th and April 20th. Miss Hinds' innumerable fans in the Prairie Region will appreciate this newly-taken photograph. Miss Hinds is heard daily, Mondays through Fridays, at 3:30 a.m. MDT, over CBC Watrous and other western stations.

## Extra Sugar Will Sweeten Rhubarb

Extra sugar for cooking rhubarb is allowed through order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board effective immediately, ration officials announce today.

Blue coupon number 1, "Spare B", in the new ration book may be used for the purchase of one pound of sugar for cooking rhubarb from now until May 31. Only blue coupon 1 may be used for this purpose, and it is considered that one pound of sugar is sufficient for sweetening five pounds of rhubarb.

Heretofore no extra sugar was allowed for cooking rhubarb. Housewives were required to use sugar from their ration for this purpose, as for other stewed fruits prepared for current needs of the family table.

## All Animals for Lloyd. Bull Sale Tested

An event of wide interest to livestock breeders will no doubt be the 24th annual bull sale sponsored by the Lloydminster Exhibition association, which will this year be held on Tuesday, June 1st.

All animals entered for this affair must pass the tuberculin test; and these tests will be made by the Dominion Health of Animals branch on the owner's farms. In order to allow time for these tests, entries will remain open until Saturday, May 1st next.

Entry forms may be obtained by writing to Geo. K. Ross, manager of the Exhibition at Lloydminster, Sask. Catalogues are to be ready for distribution early in May.

## H. F. JOHNSON IS NEW OFFICER

Robert F. Johnson, former liaison officer with the ration administration Wartime Prices and Trade Board has been appointed ration officer for Edmonton and northern Alberta according to an announcement by Walter S. Campbell, regional representative.

## Death of Mother Bereaves Mrs. Adams

There passed away in an Edmonton hospital on Friday last, Mrs. Alice Maud Mary Currie, who will be well remembered by a large circle of local friends as the mother of Mrs. Alec Adams of town.

The deceased lady, who was the widow of the late Mr. Charles Currie, was 78 years of age, and had been in failing health for some long time.

She leaves to mourn her loss, three daughters (Mrs. F. S. Rowsell, of Edmonton; Mrs. A. H. Adams, of Wainwright; Mrs. Vera Shepard, of Powell River, B.C.), and two sons (A. R. Currie, of Round Hill, Alta., and Pte. H. M. Currie, with the Canadian Army overseas).

Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, in Christ church (Ang.) Edmonton, with the Rev. E. S. Otley, the vicar, officiating. Interment was made in the family plot in Edmonton cemetery.

## ROOMS RENTED TO WAR WORKERS

To encourage householders in congested areas to give up spare rooms to essential war workers, a new ruling of the Rentals administration exempts householders renting rooms for the first time to boarders and lodgers from having rates fixed by a rentals committee.

Rooms must be furnished and equipped with bedding and linen for each guest, administrator Cyril DeMara states.

## Local Ration Boards Handle Canning Forms

Applications for sugar for canning are still being received at the ration offices in Edmonton and Calgary, officials state, requesting that any other such applications to be sent in before April 15, should be sent to the Local Ration Board in the community.

When the Local Ration Board has reviewed the application special canning sugar coupons will be provided housewives. These will entitle housewives to purchase sugar at specified intervals during the official canning season, June 1 to October 31.

## PACIFIC STEAMERS TWICE A WEEK

Vancouver.—After the annual overhaul of its two steamers operating between Vancouver and northern British Columbia, Canadian National Steamships (Pacific) announces that twice weekly service is again in operation for passengers, freight and express.

## Conditional Sales Are Banned by Board

Ottawa.—Merchants no longer may require a customer to buy \$1 worth of goods in order to purchase a particular commodity which is in short supply. Permission to make conditional sales is withdrawn by the War time Prices and Trade Board on the grounds that such permission was abused.

Some time ago the Board ruled that although retailers should not make the sale of one commodity conditional upon the purchase of another commodity, they could make the sale of items in short supply conditional upon the purchase of \$1 worth of other merchandise.

## SUMMER RESORTS WILL NOT OPEN

Montreal.—After surveying Canada's wartime economy, including manpower, foodstuffs and transportation, the Canadian National Railways has decided not to open Jasper Park Lodge, Minaki Lodge and Pictou Lodge this summer.

## HOCKEY BOYS CLOSE SEASON

In order to mark the closing of their season's play, the Bennet and White Hockey club boys held a very enjoyable dance at the Masonic Hall on Monday evening when quite a big crowd had a merry time to the tunes of the Glass orchestra. The Phil. Pom lunch service was highly appreciated, too.



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- 2 You can donate your fat dripping, scrap fat and bones to your local Voluntary Salvage Committee if they collect them in your community, or—
- 3 You can continue to place out your fat and bones for collection by your Street Cleaning Department where such a system is in effect.

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## Bomb Press

### FOOD PROBLEMS IN GREAT BRITAIN

Canadians everywhere seem to be tremendously interested in two things about Britain, and they are Bomb Damage, and Food.

After eating meals for six weeks in training camps, hostels, and the private homes of friends or relatives, the editors began to have a good idea of conditions there.

Probably the outstanding feature of the meals is the total absence of any white bread or rolls. At first one is inclined to think that the dark bread is excellent, but after a few weeks of nothing else, there is a yearning for some good white bread. Perhaps after a longer period one would become so accustomed to it that it would be preferred.

Many items are entirely absent, such as citrus fruits, oranges, grape fruit and lemons, ice cream, fresh eggs, cream and some other items. Fresh eggs are very scarce and they are reserved for sick people and young children. Fresh milk is also difficult to obtain. There is, however, a fair supply of powdered eggs and powdered milk.

Most foods are rationed, and others are sold on the point system. The weekly ration for one person when we were there was: butter 2 ounces, tea 2 ounces, sugar 5 ounces, bacon 4 ounces, cheese 4 ounces, jam 16 ounces, meat 23 cents worth, and canned goods 24 points.

The prices are fixed by the government which also controls the distribution of supplies. This is the reason why consumers must register with one storekeeper and buy rationed goods there only. The storekeeper then receives only sufficient stocks to look after the requirements of the people who are registered with him. This is an important part of the whole method of keeping everyone supplied.

**The Minister of Food**  
The man who is responsible for the smooth working of this system, and the supplying of sufficient food is Lord Woolton, the Minister of Food, and everyone over there seems convinced that he has done a marvellous job. In fact what he has done is one of the big accomplishments of the war, for he has taken the worry of insufficient food away from the people.

ple. They now know that all they have to do is to go to the store where they are registered, hand over their coupons and the FOOD WILL BE THERE.

Even during the worst of the blitz, Lord Woolton's department never failed to deliver rations.

The editors had a conference with the Minister of Food on September 18th, and were greatly impressed with his ability and sincerity. He extended his thanks to Canadians for their assistance in feeding Britain, and expressed his appreciation for the restrictions which Canadians had imposed upon themselves in order to help Britain.

Imports of food from Canada are up over 40%. The Ministry of Food buys all the food imported into Britain, and oversees the distribution and price.

The Ministry endeavours to maintain a standard of nutrition, and to this end scientists are at work all the time trying to provide a proper supply of calories and vitamins through substitutes. The needs of children and the sick are especially provided for, Lord Woolton said, "It is the children who will have to clean up this mess, and they must grow up strong."

The best way to maintain morale, Lord Woolton believes, is to keep the people well fed, and in this he is succeeding in a wonderful way.

**Canteens and Restaurants**  
Part of his plan to keep the people well fed was the establishment of canteens in the larger factories, the supplying of food to smaller factories, and the British Restaurants, sometimes called "Woolton's Restaurants", to provide meals where canteens are not practical. The number of these restaurants nearly doubled in 1942 and the meals served amount to a staggering figure.

Later the Canadian editors were taken to some of these restaurants for a meal, and had soup, meat and vegetables, pudding and tea for a shilling and fourpence. Most of the help is volunteer. It is no wonder that there are now nearly 2000 of these establishments.

One factory canteen which we visited was a marvel of cleanliness and efficiency, and could serve 1200 meals in twelve minutes.

**Changing the Public Diet**  
Lord Woolton believes that he is permanently changing the public diet. The people are learning what is good for them to eat and will continue to eat more vegetables and cheese even after plenty of all kinds of foodstuffs will be available. They are also learning how to prepare food in better ways. The result of all this is that the health of the people is better than it ever has been before.

As our conference drew to a close, one of the Canadian editors asked him what was going to happen after the war. After a few moments of thought, Lord Woolton replied, "Well I am going to have a nice, thick steak."

**The Points System**  
Selling food on points was designed primarily to control the distribution and supply of foods which are not rationed. Points for certain foods are raised or lowered as the available supply goes up or down. If one line is selling too freely, the number of points necessary to purchase that food is increased, and the demand falls off.

If some new food is available, but

is not proving popular enough, the number of points is reduced. In this way the use of a certain brand of pressed ham was increased until it was quite popular over there.

The people look on this points business as a game which appeals to their gambling instinct. They try to guess what item will have the points increased, and buy it; and if, as often happens, the points on it are decreased instead, the people say, "Woolton has done us again, but we'll get him tomorrow on something else."

Between the rationing and the points, the queues which might have become a problem have been absolutely eliminated. The only queues which we saw all the time we were in England were at theatres and bus stops.

They tell a good story about the queues. At one time if a shopper saw a queue she would join up, with the idea that there must be something good for sale. One day a queue formed in front of a theatre and stretched around the corner. A woman saw this long queue and joined up at the end of it. After a few minutes she asked the man in front of her, "What have they got today?" "The Tales of Hoffman," he replied. "How do you cook them?" she enquired.

**The Queen's Messengers**  
Lord Woolton praised the women who are known as the "Queen's Messengers", an organization of women volunteers who go into blitzed areas and help in the emergency canteens. Our beloved Queen is the head of the organization. Wherever there is a raid which causes damage, a mobile canteen with some of the "Queen's Messengers" is sent immediately to feed the people. These messengers with their food and cheer is proof that someone is looking after them.

Shipping is the greatest concern of Lord Woolton, and so every effort is made to provide food that does not have to be brought in by ships, or to use the most concentrated food with the maximum nutrition value.

That is why powdered eggs are so valuable, for it is said that 80 tons of dried eggs are equal in food value to 2,100 tons of feedstuff for hens.

The margarine is now so reinforced with vitamins that its nutritive value is equal to that of butter, and it is very difficult to tell from butter. At one hotel, we suspected by the quantity served that it was margarine instead of butter, and on enquiry found we were right. We probably often were served margarine without knowing it.

Hotel meals are limited to three courses and the price ceiling is five shillings, but in some cases service charges are allowed. At our London hotel, the price of the dinner was five shillings, but the service charge was seven shillings and sixpence, and a charge for the orchestra was two shillings and sixpence, bringing the cost of the meal up to fifteen shillings. However, these service charges are also under regulation.

While Britain's diet has changed, and many items of food are difficult or impossible to obtain, British people have sufficient wholesome food, thanks to Lord Woolton. It is no wonder that everybody admires the job he is doing.

## Household Hints

**MORE RECIPES FOR RATIONERS**  
Among these recipes that conform with the present rationing program, you will find two containing meat that has not as yet been placed upon our ration list. In fact, either of them could well be served on what might have been a "Meatless Tuesday":

**Green Pea Soup**  
2 cups stock  
1 quart water  
1 quart green peas  
1 celery stalk  
1 onion  
2 sprigs mint  
1 turnip  
1 tablespoon flour  
1 tablespoon butter  
Salt and pepper  
Sugar

Reserve one-half cup of peas, and to the stock and water add the rest of the peas, the celery stalk, onion and turnip cut in pieces, and the mint. Stew until the mass is tender. Strain through a sieve or coarse cheese cloth. Thin with stock or water, if necessary; bind with roux of flour and fat and season with salt, pepper, and a little sugar. Add the half cup of whole peas, stew for a few minutes and serve.

**Smoked Beef Tongue**  
1 smoked beef tongue  
1 cup Spanish sauce  
10 chopped, cooked mushrooms  
Scrub the tongue. Soak it in cold water over night, then place it in enough fresh water to cover it, and simmer for five hours. Drain, lay in cold water for two or three minutes, remove the skin, trimming the thick end of the tongue neatly, and again place it in hot water for a few minutes. Drain and lay on the serving dish, and pour over it sauce piquante or Spanish sauce, to which the mushrooms have been added just before serving.

## Stewed Calf's Heart

2 calves' hearts  
1 bay-leaf  
Salt and pepper  
1/2 lemon  
2 tablespoons flour  
2 tablespoons butter or other fat.

Hearts must be carefully washed, and the veins, arteries and clotted blood removed. After washing, place the hearts in a kettle with enough boiling water to cover them, and simmer for one and one-half hours. Remove all the fat, and set aside to cool. When the dish is intended for breakfast, this cooking must be done the day before.

In the morning, cut the heart into small pieces, remove all the cords and artery cases, and use only the lean portions. Place the chopped heart in a saucepan, add the water and bay-leaf, a dusting of salt and pepper, and simmer gently for ten minutes. Rub the flour and butter or other fat together, add them, with sliced lemon, stir thoroughly for five minutes, and serve at once.

## FOR WAR WORKERS' MEALS

Here are a couple of lemon recipes that are "most" for parking up appetites. Lemons are super-rich in Vitamin C, a good source of Vitamin B1 as well as the only known source of the newly discovered Vitamin P. Yes, the pie does call for almost a cup of that precious sugar—but you are entitled to an occasional "spurge" when anything as delicious as a lemon meringue pie is involved:

## Luncheon Spinach

Over 2 1/2 cups of hot, cooked spinach, pour the following prepared mixture:

1/2 lb. bacon, sliced & cut in squares  
1/2 cup chopped green pepper  
1/2 cup very finely chopped onion  
2 tablespoons chopped pimiento  
1/2 cup lemon juice

Partially fry the bacon squares, and add the pepper and onion. Continue cooking until the bacon is well done, and the onion and pepper tender. Add pimiento. Pour over the hot spinach. Mix in the lemon juice and serve with fancy lemon garnishes. Serves 6.

## Lemon Meringue Pie

1 cup milk  
1/2 cup sugar  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon lemon peel  
5 tablespoons cornstarch

2 egg yolks  
1 tablespoon butter  
6 tablespoons lemon juice  
Scald milk and butter in double boiler. Blend sugar, salt, cornstarch. Dump into hot milk and butter. Cover. Cook 20 minutes. Remove, beat until smooth. Pour over beaten egg yolks. Return to double boiler. Cook 2 minutes. Add lemon juice and peel. Pour into pre-baked pie shell. Top with meringue.

## Lemon Meringue

Add 4 tablespoons sugar to 2 egg whites, first beaten until frothy. Continue beating. Beat only until egg holds its shape in peaks. Fold in: 1 teaspoon lemon juice. Cover pie. Brown in moderate oven (375 deg. F.) for 15 minutes. Note: For a deeper meringue or large pie, use 3 egg whites and 6 tablespoons sugar.

## RABBITS NOT RATIONED

As I write, the domestic rabbit is not numbered among the rationed meats. Millions of our citizens are well aware of this and are planning tasty rabbit dishes as one important way to avoid "meat worry".

But many others do not appreciate the value of this prolific little bunny. All the meat on the domestic rabbit is white and delicately flavored—so superior to the wild rabbit as to seem an entirely different article of food. Furthermore, hutch-raised domestic rabbits, according to the Fish and Wildlife Service, have been free from the disease tularemia, which has been contracted by some persons handling wild rabbits.

In food value this meat is in a class with poultry and other meats as a source of protein.

## Broiled Rabbit

Select a plump young rabbit for broiling. After dressing, wipe the meat with a clean damp cloth, and rub with salt, pepper and flour. Lay the rabbit whole back down, on a rack in an uncovered roasting pan, and place generous pieces of butter or other fat in the hollow places, but do not add water. Cook in a moderate oven (350 deg. F.) for 40 to 50 minutes, or until tender. Turn the rabbit over, baste with the pan droppings, and place under the flame of the broiling oven to brown. Cut the broiled rabbit into pieces for serving, place on a hot platter, and pour on

the drippings mixed with finely chopped parsley. Serve with crisp lat tice potatoes. ("Rabbit Recipes", Leaflet No. 66, U.S. Department of Agriculture.)

## Fried Rabbit

2 young rabbits, 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 pounds  
2 egg yolks, slightly beaten  
5 cups milk  
1/2 cup butter or other fat  
Current jelly  
1 tablespoon minced parsley

Wash dressed rabbit thoroughly with running water. Cut in serving pieces. Combine eggs and 1 cup milk, add 1 cup flour gradually then salt, and beat until smooth. Dip rabbit in batter and fry in hot butter until golden brown, about 15 minutes. Reduce heat and continue cooking until tender, 30 to 40 minutes, turning frequently. To make a gravy, add remaining flour to fat in pan, add remaining milk gradually, stirring constantly, bring to a boil and season with salt and pepper. Pour over rabbits and garnish with jelly and parsley. Serves 6 to 8.

## Devilled Ham Triangles

2 cups sifted cake flour  
2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
5 tablespoons butter or other shortening  
1/2 cup milk

3 to 4 tablespoons deviled ham  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cut in shortening. Add milk all at once and stir carefully until all flour is dampened. Then stir vigorously until mixture forms a soft dough and follows spoon around bowl. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead 30 seconds. Roll 1/4 inch thick and cut in 2-inch squares. Spread with deviled ham. Fold squares in half, forming triangles; pinch edges together. Bake on ungreased baking sheet in hot oven (450 deg. F.) 12 to 15 minutes. Makes 2 1/2 dozen triangles.

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#### FUEL SHORTAGE NOW BECOMING MORE ACUTE

Wood has entered active service, and has become a vital war material. That, and the acute labor and transportation shortage is the explanation for the fuel wood shortage. Its use in aircraft propellers is only one of the many forms in which it is serving as a war material.

Number one among its natural resources Canada's forests are also the backbone of the Dominion's most important industry, pulp and paper, of which it is the world's largest producer.

Since the outbreak of the war, wood has become still more vital to Canadians. It has replaced critical materials in hundreds of products, war as well as civilian. As a result, production has increased from less than four billion feet of lumber sawn in 1939 to more than five billion in 1941.

Wood, in the form of nitrocellulose and other constituents, is one of the main sources of supply for Canada's military explosives industry. Scores of new war plants, such as the huge Boeing aircraft factory in Vancouver, are of wooden construction throughout. The Department of Munitions and Supply's four sprawling administration buildings in Ottawa are also of wooden construction, including girders and framework. Hundreds of wooden craft, ranging from lifeboats to wooden minesweepers and 112-foot patrol boats are being built in Canada for the navies of the United Nations. Even some army vehicles, such as the snow mobile, are now being turned out with plywood bodies.

Most remarkable development has been the use of wood in aircraft construction. Several types of planes now being produced in Canada contain a large proportion of wood in their framework; others are built almost entirely from wood. The new

shoes, then it is best to allow it to dry out some more. If it merely presses down and crumbles when handled and brushes off shoes easily, then it is right. This is the old test of the practical gardener.

#### Depends on Hardiness

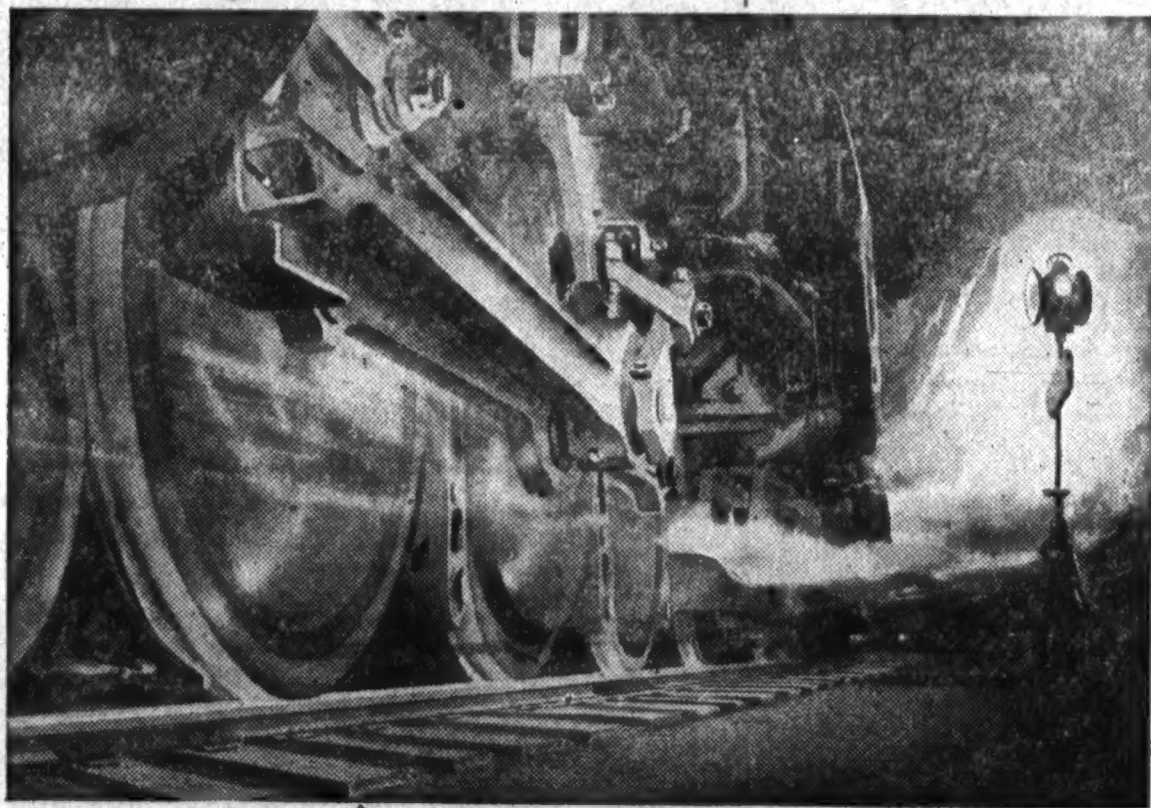
As for the second point, this is usually covered in the directions in Seed Catalogues or accompanying the order. Certain things that would normally seed themselves and come up unasked every spring, can be sown just as soon as possible. In the flower line this would cover such very hardy things as alyssum, hollyhocks, marigolds, etc. Sweet peas also should be put in this category, although they will not stand the winter except in some of the very mildest parts of Canada. In vegetables too, one can hardly plant such things as peas too early, because they are a cool weather crop and must make their growth before the days become too hot. Also in the hardy line are spinach, lettuce, radish, beets, carrots and parsnips, Swiss chard, etc. A very slight frost will not kill some of these but it will certainly set them back. As a matter of fact, with a few exceptions, there is little object in planting while there is still danger of serious frost and the soil is cold. And, of course, with warm weather things like melons, squash, tomatoes and cucumbers, one is risking certain disaster by planting before danger from frost has passed.

#### Nursery Stock

With nursery stock, however, one plants just as soon as possible. It is best to get it in the soil while the ground is still moist. If this is impossible, experts advise—either plant roughly in a trench—"heeling in" it is called—or keeping roots soaked in water until permanent planting can be carried out.

#### Vegetables For Health

This year Canadians are going to appreciate fresh vegetables more than for many years. None too many kinds are now available in cans, and with help getting scarcer, professional market gardeners are not expected to raise as much of these crops as usual, while demand, of course, is steadily increasing. All in all, it looks as if the amateur will have to grow more of his own vegetables this year. He will be amazed how much better things taste when grown in the garden right at the door. Grown quickly and picked just before cooking, they are full of natural sugars. The Vitamin content, too, of all vegetables is highly perishable. Within 24 hours of picking, many of them disappear entirely. Experienced gardeners make several sowings of practically all vegetables.



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Facts like these go into the story of the National System's responsibility in providing fast and continuous movement over 23,000 miles of line, as told in a booklet "Serving the Nation in the War", just off the press.

In addition to operating a great transportation system, the Canadian National is making its contribution to the war effort in many other ways the publication shows. Expert Canadian National officials were invited to assist the Government in the formation of the Defence Purchasing Board, Censorship, and the Department of Public Information. The company also loaned to the Federal Government the services of its staff of economists, and technical men were employed in various capacities, including the selection and expropriation of land required for the Empire Air Training Plan, assisting the movement to Canada of British evacuees and preparing preliminary plans for land settlement at the close of the war.

The booklet reproduces a large number of photographs illustrating the many war activities in which the System and its subsidiaries are engaged, such as the operation of rail and air express; a telegraph system reaching almost every point in Canada and with connections by wire and cable to all parts of the world where flags of the United Nations fly. A shipbuilding yard and drydock operate on the Pacific Coast where naval and commercial tonnage is being built, the only railway shipbuilding plant in North America. The system operates the National Railways Munitions plant manufacturing naval guns and field artillery carriages.

Canadian National Steamships ply the seas and some units of the fleet have been the victims of enemy action. Units of the coastal fleet converted into auxiliary cruisers were placed in the service for the Canadian Navy. One of these, the former luxury cruise ship Prince Robert, won special distinction by the cap-

ture of a richly-laden German merchantman. Officers and men of the Canadian National Steamships serving in the navy have received decorations and promotions. One of the company's ships was bombed in Hong Kong, Singapore and Rangoon, yet carried a cargo out of each port, effected repairs in India, carried a war cargo to Africa and with another war cargo steamed home to Canadian waters.

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The booklet records that more than ten thousand Canadian National employees have joined the Armed Forces, including a thousand officers and men of the Canadian National Steamships on active service on all seas.

#### Open Blue River Road for Trucks

Opening of the Jasper-Blue River section of the Jasper highway to motor truck traffic is expected during May, according to information received by the Alberta Motor Association.

At last reports only 12 miles of the highway remained to be constructed before the road would be passable for motor trucks. During the fall and winter, work has been proceeding on this road.

Though some heavy construction was required on the Blue River highway, much of this work was well advanced during 1942 through the use of Japanese labour brought from the Pacific coast defence area.

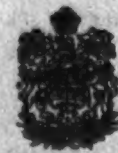
Opening of the Blue River road, which may be realized in 1943, will provide a new through northern outlet to the Pacific coast. The present highway runs from Blue River to Kamloops and on to Vancouver.

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#### The order also provides:

That anyone, coming into possession after September 15 of scrap iron or steel weighing 500 pounds or more, must dispose of it within 30 days.

That any person having a valid reason for not disposing of scrap metal as scrap metal or who believes that it can serve some essential purpose, must send in a report by September 15 to the Used Goods Administrator of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Lunenburg Building, Toronto. His report must reveal the exact description, quantity, and location of his scrap metal.

The provisions of the order do not apply to scrap dealers who are already subject to previous orders; nor do they affect metal fabricators and processors who are in legal possession of metal to be used in manufacturing.

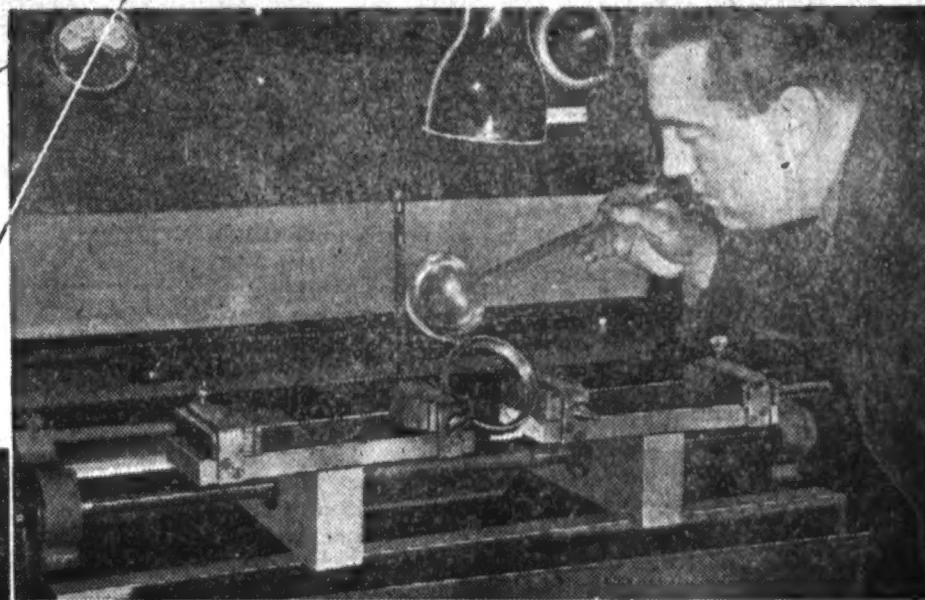
A copy of the order, S.C. 16, may be obtained from the Steel Controller, Department of Munitions and Supply, Ottawa.

Infractions of the new regulations are subject to a fine of up to \$5,000, or imprisonment of up to five years, or both fine and imprisonment.

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## NATIONAL CHARACTER

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Character is the core of national morale. Without it we shall certainly not survive the present ordeal. Character shows up in time of crisis, but it isn't built in one. Nor can it be left to the armed forces to build. It is the responsibility of everyone. It is your job—and mine. For national character is the sum total of our fighting strength.

This continent has been termed a rich land of opportunity and promise. Explorers and pioneers, and countless thousands of ordinary men and women have crossed ocean and plain, toiled long for little reward, and sacrificed to build our heritage. They founded Canada to be strong, united, free—and out of their vision, sweat and sacrifice, a nation was born.

Canada still offers the greatest opportunity for pioneering a new world. The war's great school of adversity can develop the sound character that will be needed for this task. Opportunity has too often been thought of in terms of national gain, but the landslide of moral standards and the economic depression that resulted from the greedy grasping of money after the last war was evidence that a nation's security lies in more than material gain.

A nation's true security lies in the character of its people, and spiritual faith and moral standards are the bedrock of national character. The old fundamental values—truth, honesty, selflessness, learning to give in stead of to get—these are the only qualities that will give men endurance, security and faith in their country's destiny.

Men and women who are willing to pay the price of building on these solid foundations will be able to give the creative leadership that Canada is going to need in the difficult days ahead, and will help to build a Canada that can take its rightful place in the commonwealth of nations.

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## NOTES

The National Red Cross Campaign for 1943 is over, and the Wainwright and District Branch have cause for gratification over the response from this district. Complete reports have not yet been received, but to date, returns show \$2,340.00, and we feel confident that when all returns are complete we shall have gone over the top!

Great credit is due our canvassers, and particularly to the ones in the country districts, under the handicap of extremely bad road conditions. Some went on horse-back, others on "shank's pony", but they got there! As this canvassing is all voluntary, in both town and country, too much praise cannot be given for their loyalty and their refusal to be daunted by roads or weather conditions.

The local Executive wish to thank the merchants for window space and co-operation, and the editor of the Wainwright Star for so much free and valued publicity in connection with this campaign, and for space for these weekly notes. Also thanks to each and every person in the district who, by donations, canvassing, helping at sales, giving concerts, dances or other events to raise money or in any way has helped to make this campaign such a success.

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NO. 23

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Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of the above school Division, at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer, up to noon, April 22, 1943, for the supplying of 300 tons more or less of double screened lump coal F.O.B. all points from Kinross to Butte, both inclusive. Please state the trade name of the coal.

The lowest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.  
7-4 OLIVER G. GRIFFITHS,  
Secretary-Treasurer,  
Wainwright, Alberta.



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## APPRECIATING ASSISTANCE

Following is a letter received from England by Mrs. V. Avison which will prove interesting as an aftermath of the "jam drive":—

The Nursery Twicken House, Morthe, North Devon, England.  
Dear Mrs. Avison,

This is a baby war nursery. We have thirty-six children here, and I am the cook.

Yesterday I was washing an empty jam tin and the wrapper came off, and I got your letter that was written on the back of it on the 4th of September, 1941. I felt I must write and thank you for the jam. I know the children and staff enjoyed it. We appreciate your kindness and the kind thoughts and gifts of many other friends from Canada.

The children we have here are from two of the worst bombed cities. Their ages are from 9 months to 5 years; most of them are boys, and they are all lovely kiddies.

The nursery itself was a gentleman's house. I should think in those days it was wonderful. The inside is mostly oak panelling. There is also a private woods. At present the ground is covered with snowdrops and daffodils.

I have always wanted to see your Canada, but luck has not come my way. My brother is with the R.A.F. at Kingston, Ontario.

Once more, I thank you for your kindness on behalf of the children, the staff and myself.

Yours sincerely,  
GLADYS KING

Hello, War Buddies:

About half an hour ago I received your Christmas parcel, which got here a little early. I can hardly wait until I get back home to thank you, because words can't tell how much it is appreciated—and how much a parcel really means.

ROBERT WEAR

## "THERE IS NO DEATH"

By Fit. Lieut. W. P. Roberts, R.C.A.F.  
I met my old friend Fred, yesterday and asked him how his son John, a pilot in the R.C.A.F., was faring. He replied that his son was safe and well, overseas, but his wife, John's mother, was badly upset and worried over the boy. Every day she read the casualty list in the newspaper ever fearful she would find her own boy's name printed there. Every plane that was heard anywhere near the house caused her to stop whatever she was doing and to go outside to look toward the skies. The training planes that passed over the town at night awakened her from sleep, and she would rise to sit by the bedroom window, watching and listening—listening until the steady drone of the motors could no longer be heard. In every news story of a plane crash, she couldn't help expressing her fear that this might happen to her boy. Her fears and imaginings wrought in her an agony of almost unendurable sorrow and unrest, and in her own overburdened mind she experienced the soul searing shocks of her boy dying a thousand horrible deaths.

In telling Fred that his wife should not unduly worry, I felt the hopeless inadequacy of anything that I might say. It was not until after I had left him that the recollection of another mother came to my mind. I met her in Ottawa. She was a quiet, tranquil, middle age woman. Her two sons were in the services, Meredith in the

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C. WILBRAHAM,  
Lieut., R.C.S.C. "Exeter"  
Executive Officer,  
Wainwright Sea Cadet Corps.

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## AMONG THE OLD TIMERS

### REMINDERS OF OTHER DAYS

#### TEN YEARS AGO

On Saturday afternoon last the local Girl Guides gave a very pleasing and unique entertainment in the Odd Fellow's hall to a packed house.

Mr. Chas. Wittman of the Bank of Montreal staff at Viking spent a holiday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wittman over the week end.

Mrs. Jack Lewis is spending some time in Jasper visiting friends for the benefit of her health.

Miss Mildred Perkins left on Tuesday to take up training at the Lloydminster Hospital.

Miss Margaret Golding of Plaxtol is spending the Easter holidays with Mrs. F. Dickens.

Miss Janet Carl, daughter of R. M. Carl at Greenshields, graduated with honors from the Royal Alexander Hospital in Edmonton, Miss Carl has been retained on the staff.

Mr. Fred Perkins spent the past week in Edmonton for medical treatment.

#### FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Mr. F. Harrington was honored at a gathering of his local Elk Lodge Monday night last on the occasion of his leaving our town to take up his new duties in Vermilion.

On Tuesday evening, members of

St. Andrew's church and their friends gathered to bid farewell to their pastor Rev. C. J. McKay, who is leaving for a new field of labor in Edmonton after a stay here of a year.

A happy time was spent in the United Church on Thursday evening last when the Teen-age members of the Sunday school entertained their mothers at a Mother and Daughter banquet.

Mr. J. D. Poltras, with his wife and family, has arrived from Winnipeg to take charge of the creamery here in place of Mr. F. Harrington, who has been transferred to the Vermilion branch.

Mr. Geo. Steel has now finished his new home on Seventh Ave., and moved into the same on Monday evening last.

Congrats to Miss K. Hart who is just through commercial college and has been appointed to a position in the Bank of Montreal at Strome.

#### EDGERTON

The Victory Wheel draw held at the Drug Store Saturday night was won by Mrs. Sid. Pawsey with No. 14

Mrs. Sawyer, Sr., returned on the 29th of March after visiting friends at Viking.

Mrs. Darling was a visitor to Chauvin between trains, and returned with her granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Challenger have returned to take up residence on the farm, after spending the winter at Wainwright.

P. S. Pawsey and L. W. Darby have been busy organizing for the forthcoming Victory Loan Drive.

Mrs. Earl Hallett and Mrs. Ramsay have been on the sick list recently.

B. Crane and family have moved into Mrs. Golding's house.

The School Board held their regular monthly meeting Thursday in the secretary's office. The Divisional Board are meeting this Board with a view to providing more accommodation at the school.

St. Mary's W.A. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Sid. Pawsey.

Wheat Pool cheques were received by Pool farmers last week, making the second 5% payment of commercial and elevator reserve deductions which were made on a bushelage basis when the first Pool elevators were built.

Rev. A. A. Court left Friday for the Kitchissippi district, where, under the new arrangement of ministrations, he will visit once a month.

Mrs. Roberts and Marguerite left Friday to spend this week end with her daughter May at Tofteld.

Fred Ramsay's brother Lorne returned Friday to re-join his unit.

What might have been a fatality, occurred Saturday when George Phillips, our station agent, was knocked down by the speeder. Although he was knocked unconscious and badly bruised and shaken, it is hoped nothing worse will develop from the accident.

The United W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Welsh, Mrs. Krinbill was the hostess.

#### GREENSHIELDS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Strand of Victoria, B.C. are visiting with Mrs. Strand's parents Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McDougall.

Mrs. J. Rabby and the boys are spending the week end with John at Landis, Sask.

Attempts to buck the muddy roads have proved disastrous to several car owners in our district.

Mrs. R. Barnett and Mrs. Goddard have returned home from the Wainwright hospital.

Mr. Ed. Murray has rented the farm formerly occupied by Mr. Branchflower, from Mrs. Pawling.

We are sorry to report that Mr. W. Skinner, who developed eye trouble, had to be taken to an Edmonton specialist for treatment.

Mrs. Morrisette has returned to

our district, after spending the winter at the coast.

Mr. Harry Zehnder, of Trafalgar, has been helping Tom Patterson this week.

Mr. Ted Barnett of Lethbridge is staying with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnett.

Mr. Tony Chartier left for Edmonton on Saturday's train.

Miss Elsie Haywood was a Sunday visitor in our hamlet.

#### HEATH

Allan Bouck has returned home after a visit with his sister in Edmonton.

Mrs. Girard Touchette is spending a few days in Edmonton with her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. Mockford.

Alice Smith spent a short leave at her home here before going East to continue her training with the Women's Army.

Mrs. R. Wiley and infant daughter have returned home from the Wainwright hospital.

Mrs. Clinton Davis spent a few days in Edmonton last week visiting her sister Alice.

Jean Boucher had her finger badly cut while crushing and had to have some stitches in it.

Heath school pupils have issued their first edition of the Pupils' Herald and are giving their bit to help the Russian Relief Fund. They have also helped the Canadian war effort by purchasing \$70.75 of War Savings Stamps.

Miss McRoberts and Miss Blodwyn Jones proved to be very capable canvassers, obtaining a good sum from the Heath district for the Red Cross drive.

#### GERALD

The last of the winter series of "Listening Club" meetings was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ratray last week. The topic for discussion was "Farming to Feed the World".

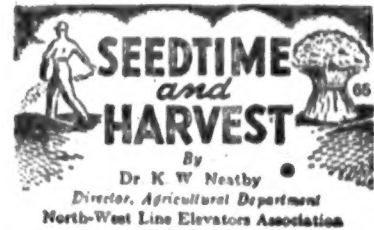
Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McReath have returned to their farm after spending the winter in Edmonton.

Mrs. R. Campbell has 8 chickens that were hatched on March 28th.

Keith Christopherson is confined to the house with a badly sprained ankle.

The Mission band met at the school on Thursday afternoon. The vice-president, Lucille Deyell, was in charge of the meeting. Plans were made for a Thank-offering meeting on April 22nd.

Mrs. S. Baker and Mrs. G. Christopherson have both been ill with a bad cold, but are better now.



Dr. K. W. Neathby  
Director, Agricultural Department  
North-West Line Elevators Association

### A Warning

As a result of unfavourable weather conditions prevailing last fall, including frost in some areas, much of the wheat, oats, barley, and flax is germinating poorly. The situation appears to be most serious with oats. The areas chiefly affected are those along, and north of, the old C.N.R. main line, and the area adjacent to the foothills in Alberta. It is safe to say that all cereal seeds in the areas named above should be tested for germination. Our own laboratory has already received nearly 10,000 samples, and doubtless, the Dominion Government laboratories have tested large numbers.

However, the total laboratory facilities in the West are inadequate to handle all seeds which should be tested. Farmers who have not already had tests made would be wise to make their own.

We are having cards printed giving detailed instructions for making home germination tests. One of these will be hung in all country elevators of Line Companies associated with the work of this Department. The same information will be printed on the "Seedtime and Harvest" leaflet distributed to grain buyers for passing on to their customers.

Roughly speaking, seed germinating 85% or over is O.K.; from 65% to 85%, rate of seedling should be increased; less than 65%, seed should be replaced.

Farmers unable to reach a line elevator conveniently may obtain copies of the leaflet by writing directly to the Agricultural Department, The North-West Line Elevators Association, Winnipeg (or Calgary).

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1. If, through negligence, you lose your gasoline ration book before October 1, 1943, you may be allowed no more, and perhaps less, than half the coupons to which you would be entitled if you were making an original application.
2. If, through negligence, you lose your ration book on or after October 1, 1943, you may be allowed no more, and perhaps less, than 25 per cent of the coupons to which you would be entitled if you were making an original application.

The new gasoline rationing system, effective on April 1, will be strictly enforced. Under its provisions, the motorist, as well as the service station attendant, is held responsible if any infractions occur. It is contrary to the orders of the Oil Controller:

1. To purchase gasoline with 1942-1943 coupons;
2. To purchase gasoline unless you have the correct category sticker affixed to your windshield;
3. To detach coupons from your own book. (The removal of the coupons is the duty of the attendant.)
4. To have in your possession a gasoline ration coupon not attached to, and forming a part of, a gasoline ration book;
5. To have in your possession a gasoline ration book other than the book issued in respect of a vehicle you own, or in respect of a vehicle driven by you with the full consent of the real owner;
6. To alter, deface, obliterate, or mutilate any gasoline ration book or coupon.



If you sell your motor vehicle, remember that before making delivery you must remove the windshield sticker or stickers. Remember also that after the sale is completed, you must mail to the nearest Regional Oil Control Office in your province the gasoline ration book or books issued for the vehicle.

THE DEPARTMENT OF MUNITIONS AND SUPPLY  
Honourable C. D. HOWE, Minister

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### ENFORCEMENT—FIND

How do they get away with this, with their own eyes open? They can't do this to me, I want to know! You've heard plenty of that sort. And Fred A. McGregor, grey-haired, soft-spoken Enforcement Administrator of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, at Ottawa, tries to help find the answers. There's nothing he fears more than to have his personnel labelled Gestapo and such things.

He realizes, of course, that an investigator in your region invested with new and unaccustomed power, might throw his weight around a little, and, by gosh, that's hard to stomach. But sup F. Mcgregor of men capable to this, says Mr. McGregor. They keep checking on the checkers, even; sometimes it takes time to find out. "We can't decide local cases in an ivory tower in Ottawa," he said. Whether it's on rentals, hoarding or anything else they do try to get an honest statement of fact from the enforcement counsel in each regional division, and they do insist on getting "local colour" with it. Personal circumstances are taken into consideration. All the administration does, he says, is pass on a case to decide whether it should go to the courts or not. Then the law does the rest.

Kicks—Well-Founded and Unfounded  
"We have to watch our step, too, from those whose toes have been stepped on; who make spite charges against persons they may have a grudge against, many, many of which have been investigated and discovered to be unfounded." And in the converse, he showed me the file and memo, where he had just that day personally telephoned an old foreign-born woman in Montreal to apologize for the actions of an investigator who was too smart altogether.

"We couldn't handle the job of enforcement if the public didn't co-operate," he pointed out, "but thank heaven 95% of the people are doing a real enforcement job with us." A small percentage, of course, are delinquent and won't play ball. Some of it, he claims, is pure carelessness of regulations to be observed in business.

"What of the future?" I asked. He hitched closer to me to emphasize the point as he warned that more difficult times are ahead, with dangers of "black market," etc. "Tell the people they are only helping themselves and they can be of tremendous help to us as the more critical times approach. We would rather have compliance than enforcement any time."

From Dec. 1, to Dec. 31, 1942, they had 1,552 prosecutions for the whole of Canada, and 1,438 convictions. You and I who know what's going on can reason it out for ourselves whether they are a Gestapo gang or an administration to check with firmness.

### Britnell Views Foods Situation

I hate to hurry on with so much material of interest available, but series is just about finished. I might give you a few thoughts from Dr. G. E. Britnell, economic adviser of the Food Administration, tonight headed, earnest fellow whose office walls are covered with colored charts. Butter rationing? All part of the over-all picture we had, he explained. Figure it out: more lunch pails, more sandwiches; more civilian workers armed forces; Red Cross necessities; Alaskan Highway; U.S.A. troops in Canada; commitments to West Indies and Newfoundland. Why, the use of fluid milk increased by 10% over the previous year. Our per capita consumption of butter in Canada is 26 lbs., while that of cheese is only 4 lbs., and it takes two of cheese to make one of butter.

Beef? Yup, he admitted a tight position there, but remember that in general there is nothing in its over-all position in Canada which would dictate it if we had no responsibilities to the United Nations. It is obvious that we cannot maintain higher consumption levels of meats than others of the United Nations, say the United States.

It is unlikely that we will avoid meat rationing in the trend of events he says, and that takes in beef, pork, bacon, veal, lamb and mutton. With the new feeding programme, however, he is certain we will have more beef in the long run. Now, co-operation is the slogan.

As I got up to leave, he shook hands and said with a smile: "Remember, fellow, we are still the best fed people in the world." I had had bacon, 2 eggs for breakfast. Could have had more. How in heck can we grouse sincerely?

About Foods Administration  
And now I'll finish this with a few words about talking with Foods Administrator Gordon Taggart, who was shortly leaving his job and Ot-

tawa to sit in the agricultural division's seat in Saskatchewan again.

His staff includes men of expert knowledge of the various food commodities, directly from farm and various food processing and distributing industries. "The food administration staff determines what to do," he said, and much of the action which follows may be carried out by regional offices of the Board, enforcement or rationing divisions.

You see, food supply naturally divides itself into two groups, foods of domestic origin or imports. When domestic supply is threatened as a result of lower price established under the ceiling, either of three things is done. The article can be removed from the ceiling entirely, as done with a number of fresh fruits and vegetables. The price could be increased as with beef, lamb and some other products which have a seasonal price range and which required higher prices to maintain supply, or, thirdly, subsidies were added to the existing price.

You remember how the latter was done extensively in the case of milk, dairy products and a number of canned items, such as tomatoes.

Action with respect to maintenance of supply has been taken mainly in conjunction with the Department of Agriculture. In the case of essential imported foods, he pointed out, the same general principle is applied, to subsidize imports if the price ceiling threatens supply or to lift ceilings from the threatened products. There it is in a nutshell, and I hope there's a kernel in it.

And he added, did Mr. Taggart, that the most common practice of imports has been for the Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation to bulk purchase at the best possible price and then sell into the domestic trade at whatever price is necessary to maintain ceilings.

The determination of requirements and the management of distribution has been the responsibility of the Food Administration. They control prices and keep up supplies of food for the civilian population, and, to assist other government bodies, it also acts to requisition or otherwise acquire food for the soldier boys and girls and other priority needs in cases of particular commodities which are in short supply.

### FOODS BOARD CHIEF SAYS

"BANKING UP WRONG TREE"



Pte. Chris Ellis of Toronto, badly burned and shocked during a bombing raid overseas, receives a blood serum transfusion in a Canadian military hospital in England. Major S. D. Gordon, Toronto, administers the transfusion, assisted by Lieut. (Nursing Sister) E. R. Campbell, Edmonton. The dried blood serum, collected and processed in Canada through the Canadian Red Cross, is bottled and packed in the airtight tins shown on the bedside table and sent overseas where it is available for Canadian and British servicemen. Supplies have also gone to Malta, Libya, Egypt and other Middle East theatres of war. Canadian blood serum, released through the Canadian Red Cross, also saved the lives of thousands of British civilians injured in the battle of Britain.



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## FARM NOTES

## PRUNING TREES

With a few exceptions trees are not pruned at the beginning of the growing season, an exception being made of the apple tree, which should be pruned early in the season. Pruning of apple trees should be done in the fall, or in late spring after new growth from buds is well started, says John Walker, Superintendent, the Forest Nursery Station, Indian Head, Sask.

The actual time that pruning in general may be undertaken in spring is only relative, but it should be attended to as early in spring as possible after the danger of severe frost or cold weather is past. It is not advisable to prune frozen stems; the best time to prune them being just as the buds are opening or bursting. If much pruning has to be done, an early start must be made so as not to carry it too far into the growing season. Early spring growth is important in the life of any plant.

Pruning in early spring, and at the start of the growing season has two chief advantages: 1. The cut can be made where a vigorous bud is located and from which strong growth in the direction required may be expected; 2. Wounds and cuts made through the removal of small branches will be well on the way to being covered

with new growth by the development of new buds before the end of the growing season.

In pruning, the time factor is very important, and both the advantages stated contribute much to the development of healthy, well-shaped trees, with smooth branches and trunks. On the other hand, pruning should not be practiced unless the pruning will serve some specific and useful purpose.

Planters should remember that severe and unnecessary pruning has a definitely weakening effect, in that it removes a great deal of stored energy and food, the weakening effect being greatest on the root system. It should for that reason be kept at a minimum.

But judicious pruning also has a stimulating effect, as shown particularly by the strong growth that takes place where branches of more or less mature trees and bushes have been pruned or cut back. Those responsible for maintaining telephone and telegraph lines located near trees know this from experience. Pruning should therefore be practiced only where necessary for the development of trees conforming to the size and shape wished. If there are surplus or undesirable branches on them, these should be removed at their points of origin on the main branch or trunk; by doing this further pruning will seldom be necessary.

## FEED CROPS FOR

## BACON AND PRODUCTION

When pigs will, it is expected, be raised this year than ever before, and more grain will be used for feeding them. In planning the crops to grow in 1943 for feeding bacon hogs, the number of pounds of bacon that can be produced with the acre yield of each of the commonly grown grains should be given careful consideration, says R. M. Hopper, Dominion Experimental Farm, Brandon, Man.

The average yields for Canada during the eighteen year period from 1923 to 1939 were 943 pounds of wheat, 858 pounds of oats, and 1115 pounds of barley. The portion of the feed that can be digested and utilized by an animal is a good general index of its feeding value. In round figures, ninety percent of wheat is digestible, eighty per cent of barley, and seventy per cent of oats. When only the digestible portion of the three grains is considered, the average long-term yields in pounds per acre are, wheat 851 pounds, oats 674 pounds, and barley 887 pounds. Both wheat and barley exceed the yield of oats by over twenty per cent.

The results of a series of feeding tests conducted at the Dominion Experimental Farm, Brandon, during the past three years with meal mixtures made up of different proportions of barley and oats, barley and wheat, and oats and wheat, indicate the relative values of the three grains for swine feeding. A standard protein

supplement was fed with all meal mixtures. In the tests, almost three hundred pigs were fed from an average age of ten weeks until they were up to market weight. When fed in a mixture with other meals, wheat proved superior, pound for pound, to barley. Up to seventy-five per cent of coarsely ground wheat can safely be used in the meal mixture for pigs weighing between forty and 210 pounds. Mixtures of wheat and barley gave slightly better results than mixtures of wheat and oats. Barley alone gave much better results than mixtures of barley and oats. In all tests, the rate of gain was increased and the feed consumption per hundred pounds of gain decreased, as the amount of oats in the mixture was reduced.

From the standpoint of yield of feed, per acre, and the relative efficiency of the three commonly grown grains for pig feeding, oats is a poor third to barley and wheat.

## World of Wheat

H. G. L. Strang, Director, Research Department, Searle Grain Company, Ltd.

## WHEAT RISES IN PRICE

In eighteen days wheat has risen 9 cents a bushel. Many are wondering why. An answer was given by the Hon. J. A. MacKinnon, in the House of Commons on March 8th. He said as follows:—

"There has been an unexpected and very much appreciated rise in the price of wheat on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. Over the past few days the price advanced several cents, this being caused by purchases of our wheat in the United States."

People in the United States, no doubt, are purchasing Canadian wheat first because the United States own surplus of wheat and other grains is disappearing at an astonishing rate; and secondly, because of the great difference in the price of wheat—\$1.45 at Chicago and 90 cents the official price at Winnipeg.

Ever since the war started I have steadfastly maintained that wheat, being the only surplus foodstuff in the world, was a most valuable commodity, and I have always thought that sooner or later our surplus of wheat would be needed. Incidentally, the rise in price shows the great value to the farmer of Winnipeg's open "Futures" market, for without that market, this rise, which is now being enjoyed by farmers, could not have been registered.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST IN THE

## WORLD OF FOODSTUFFS

The Indian flaxseed acreage, according to the first official estimate, is 2,590,000 acres compared with 2,707,000 acres last year—Peru's rice harvest for 1942 is estimated at only one-half of 1941 production—Uruguay winter wheat production for 1942-43 is officially estimated at 289,174 tons, compared with 371,975 tons in 1941-42.

Canadian beef supplies are expected to be larger in 1943 than last year and an increase of about 10% in slaughtering is expected—Panama is reported to have harvested 136 million pounds of rice in 1942, compared with 95 million pounds in 1941—Argentina's 1942-43 wheat crop, according to the second official estimate produced 235 million bushels compared with 224 million last year.

## With the R.C.A.F.

Members of R.C.A.F. bomber-crews are wearing silk stockings, just like their wives and sweethearts in Canada, but not for the same reason. It's pretty cold at 10,000 feet on some of those long-distance raids, so they wear them next to their skin and pile all the regulation leg-gear on top. Silk gloves, to wear under the wool-and-leather kind, have been supplied to fighter-pilots for some time.

Believe it or not, one of the night-fighter maintenance crews of the Royal Canadian Air Force is doing a full-time job in a German-built hangar "somewhere in England". The team includes: R. M. "Red" MacKenzie of Glace Bay, N.S., former miner; W. Jukes of Calgary, former G.P.R. machinist; W. T. "Bill" Pake, of Chilliwack, B.C., who was a fur farmer; D. J. Van Norman, of Ingersoll, Ont., who worked in a general store; Eddie White, of Nelson, B.C., formerly engaged in fruit processing and jam making; A. L. Orcklin, a chiropractor in Windsor, Ont.; L. McJannet, of Halifax, N.S., who had just left school when he enlisted; and A. W. Kirchen of Dundas, Ont. All are leading airmen. The hangar, incidentally, was built by German Prisoners during the last war.

Pilot Officer "Bandy" Smith, of Summerland, B.C., bomb aimer in a Lancaster crew is now studying navigation. Twice over Germany and once over Italy, "Bandy" saw enemy fighters, but they either did not see his aircraft, or decided not to tackle

A Canadian squadron overseas sports a Canadian lynx, surmounting a maple leaf, on the sides of its aircraft and the motto: "We can lick our weight in wildcats". This is the work of R. Perrot, a British Commando, but peacetime commercial artist, Pilot Officer Ken Kenyon, said. The British Columbian takes things in his stride. "No close calls," he reports. "Once, over the Island of Sylt, off the Danish coast, anti-aircraft fire started up, but all our damage was a couple of bullet holes in the tail".

"Sorry I have been absent the last three weeks, but I'm extremely lucky to be alive enough to write this, Soper, and I am okay, only slightly injured, but I'm afraid I know nothing definite of the rest. Give my regards to the boys and have a pint or two for me, Graham". Such was the message recently received by the commanding officer of a Hampden bomber squadron from Squadron Leader Graham Campbell, of Consort, Alta., awarded the D.F.C. He and Pilot Officer George Howard Soper, of Englehart, Ont., his rear gunner, were forced to bale out over enemy territory and are now prisoners of war.

Other Englishman, has been so long with the Canadians that he is regarded as one of them. Like Pilot Officer John Higham, D.F.C., of Assiniboia, Sask., now back in Canada, Flight Lieutenant Don Patterson, of Toronto, and Sergeant Bill Newcombe, of Vancouver, the Englishmen find that their art is an asset in their service to and with the R.C.A.F.

"Bully", bulldog mascot, who travelled with a Canadian torpedo bomber squadron throughout England and Scotland coastal stations, is out of the service. "Bully" used to hitch-hike in aircraft, but when he took to using public buses to get into various towns, his super-canine intelligence failed to please the local authorities. "Bully", whose motto was "Never walk when you can ride", is "just a civilian" now.

Sergeants E. W. Dutton, of Toronto, and Eddie Schmidt, of Herschel, Sask., recently "brought in the firewood" from a raid on Stuttgart, in an R.A.F. Halifax bomber. Dodging enemy searchlights, their New Zealand pilot flew so low over a Nazi "wood-lot" that twigs got stuck in the aircraft's radiators. But they got through to Stuttgart and bombed their target.

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## What to Grow in 1943

As a result of the Dominion-Provincial conference held in Ottawa last December, it is recommended that wheat plantings be reduced by nearly 4 million acres, and rye by almost 2 1/2 million acres. Increased summerfallow is not suggested; but we are advised to use the land taken out of wheat to increase the acreage of other crops as follows: oats, over 1 1/2 million; barley, 1/2 million; hay and clover, 1/2 million; alfalfa, 1/2 million.

The above adjustments are chiefly the concern of the prairie provinces because we sow about 95 per cent of Canada's wheat acreage. Indeed, we can go further and say that the change will be concentrated in Saskatchewan and Alberta, because Manitoba planted less than two million acres of wheat in 1942.

To the individual farmer the desired changes mean that, on the average, for every 100 acres of wheat he grew in 1942, he should grow only 82 in 1943. Obviously, these changes must be considered in relation to district and to the possibility of increasing various classes of livestock. Generally speaking, on the open prairies, it will be difficult to reduce wheat acreages by 18 per cent. As a result of the announcement that the flax acreage should not be increased in 1943, it would be wise to forget about flax in the mixed farming areas, and concentrate our production in the plains where coarse grains do not do so well. If the government's wishes are to be realized, wheat acreage reduction must exceed 18 per cent where mixed farming is feasible and profitable. More grasses and/or clovers will be advantageous nearly everywhere.



## GROW YOUR OWN VITAMINS

## CANNING IS A "MUST" IN 1943

We all know that vitamins are a "must" in our wartime diet if we are to have the necessary energy and vitality with which to tackle the jobs that lie ahead. Did you ever think of growing your own vitamins? No? Well, it can be done, and you can get a big kick out of doing it, too!

Winter is giving its last kick, and spring is fast approaching. Take a look at that plot of ground behind the house one of these days and begin planning for that fine vegetable (or should we say vitamin) garden. Flower gardens are definitely "out" for the duration, and as for leaving the backyard for the children to play in, it just isn't done any more! Those same children will have a much more enjoyable time helping you plan your Victory garden.

Beans, carrots, peas, tomatoes, cabbage, lettuce, Swiss chard; all these vegetables can be grown in the average family backyard. They'll have every bit as much vitamin content as the vegetables you buy, too. And what is more, you'll have the satisfaction of having grown them yourself, to say nothing of the excellent exercise you will have in the fresh air, in preparing, planting and tending your garden. There's a certain pride which can be gained in no other way than in watching living things grow which you have planted and cared for yourself. And when you pass your invited guest the cabbage or carrots and say: "I grew these in our own garden," it will give you a glow of pride that is well-worth experiencing.

Perhaps that backyard lot of yours has lain idle for years. After all, a piece of ground that produces nothing is something like a man who contributes nothing to the community in which he lives. So, if you want to be truly patriotic in 1943, plant your own Vitamin Victory Garden, grow your own vitamins, experience the zest that work in the soil can bring, and eat the vitamin-laden fruits of your toil. We'll bet you dollars to doughnuts that you get more thrill out of it than anything you've ever tried! Plan that garden today!

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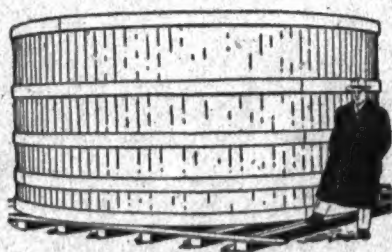
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## NEWS & VIEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

**BORN**—To Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keenan of Wainwright, at the Wainwright municipal hospital on April 5th, a boy.

**BORN**—To Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gibson of Edgerton, at the Wainwright municipal hospital on April 6th, a girl.

Maurice Johnson, in his natty navy blue, is home for a short leave with his parents and friends here before joining his ship again for more training.

Messrs. S. Fuller and J. McLean were in town over the week end for a short visit from the city with friends here.

A splendid time was enjoyed at the Red Cross dance which was staged by the local Elks last Friday at the S.S. hall.

Applications for rations of sugar for canning purposes this season MUST be in the hands of the local ration board not later than April 15. Housewives should attend to this at once.

Rumor has it that the Irma oilfield which has been dormant for some long time—is to get another examination, and possibly a new lease of life!

They are not making shoes any more! Why? Well, just because from now on everything is for Victory and nothing for "de-feet!"

Mr. E. N. Arthur was the holder of the lucky ticket for the Shetland pony which was drawn for at the dance on Friday evening. Mr. Fay was the winner of the beautiful doll.

The Sperry rail inspection car has been working through the division during the past week, and left for the East on Sunday.

Following a short visit to the city, Mrs. J. Carroll returned home on Saturday night.

Mrs. Ray Greer was away to Calgary for a few days last week.

Following a stay in hospital for some time, Mrs. A. Robinson returned to her home on Monday last.

Mr. W. Lyle returned from the city on Sunday after visiting Mrs. Lyle, who is still in the hospital there following an operation last week.

Following a long holiday with relatives in Winnipeg, Mrs. Bella Davidson returned to her home here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Carrell spent a couple of days in Edmonton over the week end.

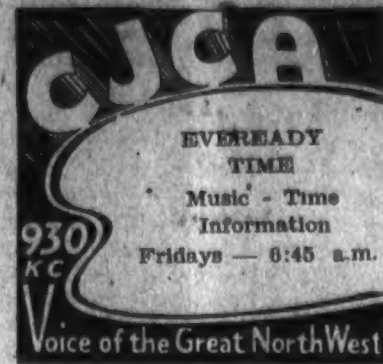
It must be Spring! Robins, crows, meadow larks, and even gophers have been noted in the district.

Prices ruled high at the McCrystal auction sale on Saturday last, when Geo. Reynolds vied the hammer.

Owing to the ban on highway travel, the Edmonton-Wainwright bus was taken off the run on Sunday last.

After being with us for over five months the snow is rapidly disappearing under the rays of an increasingly warm sunshine these days.

Mrs. W. Harley was a tripper to the city for a day or two last week end.



### I.O.O.F. ANNIVERSARY

Arrangements are being made for the local members of the I.O.O.F. to mark their anniversary by attending church in a body on Easter Sunday. They will attend the evening service at the United church, when Rev. Bro. A. Richard will deliver the address. All members of the Order are asked to make plans to be present for this.

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Mr. T. L. Shaw, of Edgerton, has been appointed to the Wainwright local ration board, according to information from the Wartime Prices and Trade Board in Edmonton.

To attend the funeral of Mrs. Currie in Edmonton, Mr. Alec. Adams went to the city at the week end.

Although the local Board of Health met in session last week, we understand that no information is available until the matters discussed go before Council.

Preparatory work is well in hand for the inauguration of the new airport here as soon as the weather breaks.

One of the many Canadian Red Cross functions is to make sure that no Canadian serviceman in overseas hospitals suffers from loneliness. Names of all Canadians admitted to military hospitals anywhere in Britain are turned over to the Red Cross and they in turn communicate with the Visitors' Committee in that particular area. Picture shows Sgt. H. J.

Mrs. B. M. Olson, who has been staying all winter with her daughter Mrs. H. Schlitt, returned to her home at Bawlf last week.

A Canadian corvette requires 14 tons of anchor chain. Help forge the links! BUY BONDS!

The town drains and ditches seem to be little more than a joke these days, and the large lakes on our Main street certainly demand that something be done to remove this water. Damage is being done to the footings of the I.O.O.F. hall, and other buildings and homes, and the whole matter is detrimental to business!

Citizens are reminded of the monthly meeting of the Board of Trade this (Wed.) evening, which will be held in the Town Hall chamber. There is real serious business on hand.

We are informed that after a very successful season, our local curriers have their "rocks" all wrapped up in flannel until next winter.

For the first time in history, the R.A.F. took over the duties of royal guard at Buckingham Palace for four days last week in honor of their 25th anniversary.

The monthly meeting of the W.I. is to be held tomorrow (Thurs.) after noon at the home of Mrs. W. Huntingford when a full turn-out of members is hoped for, and visitors will be welcomed.

Among the boys in service uniforms over the past week end were Leroy Carl and Vic Little, who both spent a short leave with their relatives here.

### SHORTER ROUTE FOR T.C.A.

Ottawa, April.—Trans-Canada Air Lines has plans for a shorter route for its transcontinental service, H. J. Symington, K.C., president, announces. It will be over Lakes Huron and Superior, instead of north of them, and thence to points of exit in western Canada and the Yukon.

### COMING EVENTS

The Wainwright Women's Institute are holding a Court Whist in the Separate School Auditorium on Wednesday, April 7th, commencing at 8:30 p.m. sharp. Proceeds to be used for the men of the Merchant Marine. This is a worthy cause and your support is needed. Good prizes will be given, and lunch provided. Admission 35 cents each.

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